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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for Letters Patent:

Applicant : OLAF MÜLLER
Title : AIRBAG DEVICE, METHOD OF MOUNTING AND METHOD OF OPERATING THE AIRBAG DEVICE

20 sheets of formal drawings.

The payment in the amount of \$ 740.00 covering the filing fee.

Claim for Priority. Certified copy of the corresponding foreign patent application

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This application is being filed without a signed oath or declaration under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f) and in a foreign language (without translation) under 37 CFR 1.52(d). Applicants await notification of the date by which the oath or declaration, the translation into English and the surcharge are due, pursuant to this rule.

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